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The Honorable Vernon A. Williams Secretary Surface Transportation Board 1925 K Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20423-0001 ENTERED
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Re:

STB Finance Docket No. 33388 (Sub-No. 91) CSX Corporation and CSX Transportation, Inc.

Norfolk Southern Corporation and Norfolk Southern Railway Company

Control and Operating Leases/Agreements
 Conrail Inc. and Consolidated Rail Corporation (General Oversight)

Dear Secretary Williams:

Southern Railroad Company of New Jersey hereby notifies the Surface Transportation Board of its intent to speak at the public hearing scheduled for April 2, 2004, in Trenton, New Jersey. Mr. Thomas A. Collard will speak on behalf of the Southern Railroad Company of New Jersey and requests a total of ten (10) minutes to speak about the Conrail Shared Assets Areas after the acquisition of Conrail by CSX and Norfolk Southern Corporation. Southern Railroad Company of New Jersey does not plan to file a written statement prior to the hearing.

Respectfully yours,

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